

## Secrets of Close Living Are Freely Revealed In These "\$18" Letters

Housekeepers Tell How They Manage Their Homes on the Average Salary Paid to New Yorkers.

Economy is not a lost art. That is proved by the avalanche of letters received here in The Evening World's "Paid in Full" contest. Apparently thousands of couples in Greater New York are living in comfort on \$18 a week, saving money and raising families. Nor do they have the temptation to resort to the dishonest methods of Joe Brooks, hero of "Paid in Full," who stole in order to eke out his \$18 salary.

The letters are a splendid education to every young housekeeper as well as to people about to marry. They explain each step in household economy and how each dollar may best be spent. Also the advantage of laying by money for a rainy day.

Here are a few of the latest letters received:

### They Rented Furnished Rooms.

To the Editor of The Evening World:

When we first married our income did not exceed \$18 per week, and in order to live nicely and not deprive ourselves of the necessary things this is how we managed. Instead of taking a flat and having to pay instalments on furniture, we rented two cozy furnished houses, which included gas, at \$4 a week. I allowed myself \$7 a week for the table, 50 cents for laundry, \$1.50 for my husband for carfare and lunch, and we put \$1 in the bank each week, which left us a balance of \$4 a week for clothes and amusements. So on we live nicely and do not want for anything. MRS. CLARA RICH.

No. 44 Knickerbocker ave., Mamaroneck, N. Y.

### Lots of Work for Wife.

To the Editor of The Evening World:

In the first place a young couple should not marry unless they have enough money to furnish their home.

### FIFTY-FIVE PRIZES

For the best letters solving the \$18-a-week living expense problem in "Paid in Full":

One Cash Prize, \$25

One Cash Prize, \$10

Three Cash Prizes, \$5

50 Prizes of as many pairs of \$2 seats for the "Paid in Full" performance at Weber's Theatre.

Letters should be sent to "Paid in Full," Editor, The Evening World, P. O. Box 1354, New York City.

Real Love Helps a Lot.

To the Editor of The Evening World:

For a happy solution of so hard a problem, I think the most important thing is love. Real love is a treasure in itself, a treasure which produces joy and self-content, without jealousy or other people's financial prosperity. Besides, I think the young couple could economize some of the rent, going to live in a four-room apartment in the Bronx, and would not have expense for instalment on furniture if wise enough to save money before they got married. Living would cost as follows: Rent \$15.00; table expenses, \$5.00; gas, 50c; carfare, 50c; laundry, \$1.00; insurance, 50c; incidentals, 50c; total, \$14.00. The balance, \$4.00, could be used for clothes, amusements and for a rainy day. TONY MECHINEL.

No. 215 East Twelfth street City.

### ACCUSED WOMAN OF THEFT.

Actor and Wife Withdraw Charge Against Former Friend.

Mrs. Florence Meyers, a comely young woman, golden-haired and blue-eyed, was arraigned before Magistrate Droege in the Harlem Court today charged with the theft of an ermine stole and muff. She was arrested at her home, No. 165 Lenox avenue, at the instance of Mrs. Walter S. Hawkins, the wife of an actor, living at No. 24 West One Hundred and Eighteenth street.

Mrs. Hawkins and her husband went to the Harlem district on Saturday day afternoon and declared that they had seen Mrs. Meyers' maid and maid ailing in Mrs. Meyers' window. They charged a year ago they had pawned the fur and that Mrs. Meyers had missed the pawn ticket.

When the furs were turned over to the Hawkinses in court they withdrew the charge and their former friend was discharged.

M. A. BRODIE.

No. 139 Nassau avenue, Brooklyn.

Content and Happy on \$15 a Week.

To the Editor of The Evening World:

I do not think the Brooks pair were wise in the least. My husband and myself live on \$15 weekly and manage to save a little. In the first place, a couple do not need a large flat. Our four-room flat in Brooklyn is very nice at \$3.50 per week. I buy non-perishable goods like tea, coffee, sugar, flour, spices, &c., in bulk to last at least a month or two, and so I get them cheaper. On Sundays we generally have a small joint pot roast or pig or lamb that will last the better part of the week for home eating and my husband's lunches. It never costs more than \$1 and frequently much less. I buy dollars for meat and \$2.50 for the week's groceries. I have our carfare.

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## MOVING ENGINES KEEP MEN FROM LAYING TRACKS

Fight for Right of Way Between Union Railway Company and N. Y. Central.

Application was made to-day to the Public Service Commission by Frederick Whitridge, receiver of the Union Railway Company, in the Bronx, for permission to construct trolley tracks at grade and suspend wires across the right of way of the New York Central Railroad's Putnam division at Two Hundred and Thirtieth street. Commissioner Eustis has taken the matter under advisement.

In the meantime the New York Central is running three light locomotives continually up and down the tracks crossing Two Hundred and Thirtieth street, while a gang of 100 laborers in

the employ of Receiver Whitridge waits for a chance to rush the work of laying the trolley tracks.

The New York Central officials profess to believe that Receiver Whitridge would order his men to lay tracks across the New York Central tracks without waiting for permission from the Public Service Commission if he got a chance. Hence they impede his way with moving locomotives. It is necessary to keep the locomotives moving so as not to obstruct vehicular traffic on the highway.

The Union Railway has a line running up Bailey avenue to Two Hundred and Thirtieth street and another that starts at Two Hundred and Thirtieth street and Broadway and runs up Broadway to the Yonkers city line. The Two Hundred and Thirtieth street and Broadway terminal is about 1,000 feet west of the Bailey avenue terminal and on the other side of the Putnam Division tracks.

The line running up Broadway from Two Hundred and Thirtieth street to Yonkers has been operated under a lease by the Yonkers Street Railway Company. When Receiver Whitridge took charge of the Union Railway he demanded of the receiver of the Yonkers Railway one-half of every fare paid on the Broadway stretch of track.

The demand was refused. Receiver Whitridge thereupon, by permission of the United States Court, cancelled the lease, the cancellation to take effect at midnight to-day and made arrangements to complete the 1,000 foot gap between Bailey avenue and Broadway, thus giving the Union Railway a direct

line from the heart of the Bronx to the city line of Yonkers.

Receiver Whitridge's men started yesterday to close the gap, and a rival gang of workmen was moved to the ground by the New York Central and the Public Service Commission is deliberating.

The wide popularity of the special shoes originated by James S. Coward, has led unprincipled shoe dealers to attempt to trade upon the name and reputation of the COWARD SHOE.

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